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AND METHOD

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FIRST PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

Prior to the initial substantive review of the above-identified patent application by the Examiner, please enter the following Preliminary Amendment. Although Applicants do not believe that any fees are due based upon the filing of this Preliminary Amendment, please charge any such fees to Deposit Account 19-1970.

Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend Claims 22 and 42 as follows:

22. (Amended) A method for producing a molded article, comprising:
- providing a flocked surface;
 - positioning the flocked surface in a part of a mold;

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